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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application No.: 10/736,863 Confirmation No. 5348  
Filed: December 16, 2003 Art Unit: 3762  
Applicant: Robert E. Atkinson et al.  
Examiner: Kahelin, Michael  
Docket No. AEWI-1  
Title: LEAD STABILIZATION DEVICES AND METHODS

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Please enter this Amendment in response to the Office Action dated February 20, 2009.

This Amendment is being filed concurrently with an RCE and a Petition for One Month Extension of Time, including the requisite fees.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.